

Mexican Wolf Blue Range Reintroduction Project Telemetry Flight Locations for the Week of April 30, 2012

The Reintroduction Project provides the public with information on wolf locations with the following caveats: (1) inclement weather can limit the availability and quality of location information; (2) location information is largely limited to radio-collared wolves and un-collared wolves associated with them; and (3) wolves are mobile, so wolf location information tends to be outdated from the moment it is collected. Again, the prudent assumption for any person is that Mexican wolves might be present in any part of the Blue Range Wolf Recovery Area at any time.

Please note that we are currently in denning and rendezvous season for wolves. SOP 26.0: Location Dissemination Guidelines dictates that “During denning and rendezvous season (April 15 - July 30), the IFT also discusses wolf locations with specific permittees and landowners, as necessary, in addition to providing more general locations through weekly postings at <http://azgfd.gov/wolf>.” Wolf location information includes one bearing (N, S, E, W, NE, SW, etc.) from a landmark. Note: As requested by the White Mountain Apache and San Carlos Apache tribes, the Project does not post or otherwise provide to the public any wolf location information for the Fort Apache Indian Reservation and the San Carlos Apache Reservation.

Collared Wolves in Arizona:

4-30-12 Paradise Pack (AM795, AF1056, mp1243, and mp1245)

Located on Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

4-30-12 Bluestem Pack (AF1042)

Located south of Big Lake.

4-30-12 Bluestem Pack (mp1240)

Located northwest of Crow Poison.

4-30-12 Bluestem Pack (AM806)

Not located. This wolf has not been located consistently over the past three months due to a telemetry collar malfunction and it will not be included in future documents until the collar is replaced or begins to function properly.

4-30-12 Hawks Nest Pack (f1208)

Located northwest of Gobbler Peak.

4-30-12 Hawks Nest Pack (mp1244)

Located northwest of Rogers Reservoir.

4-30-12 Rim Pack (AF858 and AM1107)

Located southeast of Wildcat Point.

4-30-12 Maverick Pack (AM1183)

Located on Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

4-30-12 Tsay-O-Ah Pack (AM1253)

Located on Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

Collared Wolves in New Mexico:

4-30-12 Dark Canyon Pack (AF923, AM992, fp1251 and fp1250)

Located south of Willow Spring Mountain.

4-30-12 Fox Mountain (M1158 and F1188)

Located north of Jim Smith Peak.

4-30-12 Luna Pack (AF1115)

Located east of Eagle Peak.

4-30-12 Luna Pack (M1155)

Not located.

4-30-12 Luna Pack (mp1241)

Not located.

4-30-12 Single (f1246)

Located northwest of Yellow Mountain.

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4-30-12 San Mateo Pack (AF903, AM1157 and mp1249)

Located north of Tule Lake.

4-30-12 Middle Fork (AM871 and AF861)

Located east of Yellow Mountain.

4-30-12 Willow Springs (M1185)

Located southeast of Tularosa Mountain.

4-30-12 Single (f1212)

Located north of Higgins Mountain.

4-30-12 Single (m1252)

Not located.